Applying Online for a Side Sewer Repair Permit



As of July 2003, you can now apply online for a side sewer repair permit. The process is simple: Visit DCLU's Side Sewer Program Web site at www.seattle.gov/dclu/sidesewer to complete and submit the application. DCLU reviews the application, generally by the next city business day, and returns the issued permit to you via e-mail.

Eligible Permit Types

You can apply online for permits to perform **repairs** to existing facilities. Because permits for **new construction** (e.g., new lines and appurtenances) require submission of plans, you must apply for them in person at the DCLU Applicant Services Center. The ASC is located on the 20th floor of Key Tower at 700 Fifth Avenue in downtown Seattle, (206) 684-8850.

What You Need

- Internet access: You can use most Internet browsers to access the online permit application, including Internet Explorer, Netscape, and Opera. A high-speed connection is not necessary.
- Printer: If you want to download side sewer cards, a high-speed color printer that accepts 11-by-17-inch paper is recommended. You can download side sewer cards at http://www.seattle.gov/dclu/sidesewer.
- **E-mail address**: A valid e-mail address is required so DCLU can send the issued permit to you.
- Escrow (advance deposit) account: If you do not have an account, you can download the application form (195-KB PDF) from http://www.cityofseattle.net/dclu/publications/forms/Escrow.pdf. Contact the DCLU Cashier Counter at (206) 386-9780 to establish your account.
- Contractor ID: If you don't know your contractor ID, call DCLU's Over-the-Counter (OTC)
 Permit staff at (206) 684-8464.

How to Apply

- 1. Open your Internet browser and open http://www.seattle.gov/dclu/sidesewer.
- Type your contractor ID and password and click **Submit**. If you're using the application for the first time, use your contractor ID as the password. (You'll be prompted to set up a password after you log on.)



Note: If you've used DCLU's Web site to apply for an electrical permit, you can also enter the user ID and password you were assigned to use this service.

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3. Click Apply for a Side Sewer Permit.



To update contractor information, call (206) 684-8464.

- 4. Complete the application:
 - Contractor Information: Enter at least an e-mail address and contact name.
 - Work Site Information: Type the street number, street name, city, state, and zip. Enter a description of work and select an occupancy type.
 - Work Site Owner/Tenant Information: You do not have to enter a name in this section, but if you do, you must also enter a phone number and address (including city, state, country, and zip).
 - Type of Work Classification: Select either Work is in Right-of-Way or one of the options under **Repair work will be completed**. Enter the number of lines capped, if applicable.

Contractor Information Contractor: ZORKO ELECTRIC INCORPORATED Phone: (425)485-1113 x Address: P O BOX 1808 Contact: WOODINVILLE, WA 98072-1808 Date: Friday, June 27, 2003 Street Type: City: Zip: Seattle Description of Work Work Site Info For First Name: Phone: Address: Address2: City: State Country of Work Classificatio Repair work will be completed: Work is in Right-of-Way # of lines On Private Property Only Contractor must be registered with City of Seattle. On Public Area Only On Public Area and Private Cancel Submit Application >>

Side Sewer Permit Application

5. Click **Submit Application**.

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What Happens Next

After you've submitted your application, you can check status, make changes, or delete the application. After DCLU staff receives and processes the application, you will receive an e-mail with the permit attached as a PDF file. (You can't delete or change the application once it's been processed.)

To view your submitted applications:

- 1. Open the online side sewer application page (http://www.seattle.gov/dclu/sidesewer).
- 2. Type your contractor ID and password and click Submit.
- 3. Click View my Side Sewer Permit applications submitted online.



- 4. Check the **Application Status** box.
 - Not Processed: DCLU hasn't received the application. You can click Edit to change it or Delete to cancel it.
 - In Process: DCLU is processing the application. You cannot make changes.
 - **Approved**: The permit has been issued.
 - **Rejected**: The permit has been denied. Contact the ASC's Drainage and Sewer Desk at (206) 684-5362 or email <u>sidesewerinfo@seattle.gov</u>.

Permit Desk

Online Side Sewer Repair Permit Application

Main Menu > My Permit Applications

App ID	Permit Type	Submitted	Work Site Address	Work Description	Application Status	
12	Side Sewer	10:12:59 AM 6/27/2003	445 Elm Seattle, WA	Repairing a line	Not Processed	<u>View</u> Edit Delete
11	Side Sewer	8:01:53 AM 6/26/2003	3 EAST Maple AVENUE EAST #3 Seattle, WA 33232	installing line to replace existing	In Process	<u>View</u>
10	Side Sewer	8:41:03 AM 7/7/2003	12321 NORTH Elm STREET EAST Seattle, WA	installing line to replace existing	Approved on 7/8/2003 5:03:09 PM by Allen Guest	<u>View</u>

Note: The applications shown above are current as of 10:21:44 AM, 7/21/2003 and reflect the last 30 days of activity.